

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 33 to 37 as shown below. The claims, as pending in the subject application, read as follows:

1. to 32. (Canceled)

33. (Currently Amended) A print ordering processing apparatus for ~~ordering print by~~ capable of communicating with a print management apparatus via a network, comprising:

document forming means for forming a document by using an application program;

~~discriminating inquiring~~ means for ~~discriminating inquiring from said print management apparatus~~ whether a printer information description file stored in said print management apparatus is updated;

receiving means for receiving information for accessing the printer information description file from said print management apparatus as a response to the inquiry;

downloading means for downloading the printer information description file from said print management apparatus ~~in accordance with a description result of said discriminating means on the basis of the information for accessing;~~ and

forming means for forming print data in accordance with the printer information description file by using a printer driver.

34. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 33, further comprising:

obtaining means for obtaining a list file of printers with which said print management apparatus is capable of communicating;

judging means for judging whether printers listed in the list file are capable of printing the formed print data;

displaying means for displaying the printers in accordance with a judgment result of said judging means;

selecting means for selecting one of the printers displayed by said displaying means; and

~~converting means for converting the formed print data into a print order file corresponding to the printer selected by said selecting means; and~~

uploading means for uploading ~~uploading the print order file~~ to said print management apparatus, printer information on the selected printer and the print data.

35. (Currently Amended) An apparatus according to claim 34, wherein said print management apparatus ~~transfers the print order file so that the printer prints the transferred print order file, and wherein the printer effects printing on the basis of a file generated based on the print order file~~ forms a printer description language file by converting the print data on the basis of the print information, and transfers the formed printer description language file.

36. (Currently Amended) A controlling method for a print ordering

processing apparatus for ordering print by capable of communicating with a print management apparatus via a network, comprising:

a document forming step of forming a document by using an application program;

an inquiring a discriminating step of discriminating inquiring from said print management apparatus whether a printer information description file stored in said print management apparatus is updated;

a receiving step of receiving information for accessing the printer information description file from said print management apparatus as a response to the inquiry;

a downloading step of downloading the printer information description file from said print management apparatus in accordance with a description result in said discriminating step on the basis of the information for accessing; and

a forming step of forming print data in accordance with the printer information description file by using a printer driver.

37. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable storage medium on which is stored a computer-readable program of a controlling method of a print ordering processing apparatus for ordering print by capable of communicating with a print management apparatus via a network, the program comprising:

a document forming step of forming a document by using an application program;

an inquiring a discriminating step of discriminating inquiring from said

print management apparatus whether a printer information description file stored in said print management apparatus is updated;

a receiving step of receiving information for accessing the printer information description file from said print management apparatus as a response to the inquiry;

a downloading step of downloading the printer information description file from said print management apparatus ~~in accordance with a description result in said discriminating step~~ on the basis of the information for accessing; and

a forming step of forming print data in accordance with the printer information description file by using a printer driver.